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Audit and investigative reviews of the tsunami relief operations conducted by the United Nations Secretariat, funds and programmes and the specialized agencies

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 December 1999 and 59/272 of 23 December 2004,

Recalling also its resolutions 56/246 of 24 December 2001, 57/287 A and B of 20 December 2002, 58/101 B of 9 December 2003, 59/270 of 23 December 2004 and 60/259 of 8 May 2006,

Reaffirming its resolution 61/245 of 22 December 2006,

Having considered the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit and investigative reviews of the tsunami relief operations conducted by the United Nations Secretariat, funds and programmes and specialized agencies;[1]

1. *Notes* the efforts of the Office of Internal Oversight Services to coordinate a consolidated report as requested by the General Assembly in its resolution 60/259;

2. *Takes note* of the oversight activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services with regard to the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs in Indonesia, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees in Indonesia and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees in Sri Lanka, and notes with appreciation that most of the recommendations made by the Office of Internal Oversight Services regarding the operations of those offices have been implemented;

[1] A/61/669.

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3. *Recalls* paragraph 14 of its resolution 60/259, and, regretting the lack of cooperation with the Office of Internal Oversight Services in preparing a consolidated report on internal audits and investigative reviews undertaken of the tsunami relief operation, as requested by the General Assembly in its resolution 60/259, again stresses the importance of full implementation of legislative decisions;

4. *Recalls also* paragraph 2 of its resolution 61/245, and decides to consider further the issue of cooperation and coordination between the United Nations funds and programmes and the specialized agencies, in particular relating to complex inter-agency programmes being implemented by a number of entities of the United Nations system;

5. *Recalls further* that the Board of Auditors conducted a horizontal review of the activities of the United Nations system in the aftermath of the tsunami and looks forward to its consideration thereof at its sixty-second session.

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Strengthened and unified security management system

The General Assembly,

Recalling section XI of its resolution 59/276 of 23 December 2004, by which it established the Department of Safety and Security of the Secretariat in order to ensure a strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations,

Recalling also its resolutions 56/255 of 24 December 2001, 56/286 of 27 June 2002, 57/305 of 15 April 2003, 58/270 of 23 December 2003 and 58/295 of 18 June 2004,

Having considered the reports of the Secretary-General on a strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations;[1] measures taken to improve the operational administration of existing cost-sharing arrangements for safety and security;[2] a strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations: standardized access control;[3] and the coverage of staff by the malicious acts insurance policy and security spending by organizations of the United Nations system;[4] the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services concerning the utilization and management of funds appropriated to strengthen the safety and security of the United Nations premises[5] and the note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments thereon;[6] the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the global audit of field security management;[7] and the note by the Secretary-General on information and communication technology security, business continuity and disaster recovery,[8]

[1] A/61/531.
[2] A/61/223.
[3] A/60/695 and A/61/566.
[4] A/60/317 and Corr.1.
[5] A/60/291.
[6] A/60/291/Add.1.
[7] A/59/702.
[8] A/60/677.

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Having also considered the relevant reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[9]

Emphasizing the importance of safety and security for all United Nations staff and premises,

Recognizing the important steps taken by the Department of Safety and Security in ensuring an effective and professional system-wide security management system,

Underlining the importance of achieving the highest levels of professionalism and expertise within the United Nations security management,

Reaffirming the critical importance of cooperation and coordination among all United Nations entities in the implementation of a unified and integrated system-wide policy for safety and security,

1. *Takes note* of the reports of the Secretary-General,[1,2,3,4] the reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services[5,7] and the notes by the Secretary-General;[6,8]

2. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, subject to the provisions of the present resolution;

3. *Notes* the intention of the Department of Safety and Security to gradually assume a leading role in crisis response and crisis management for the United Nations system, and, in this regard, requests the Secretary-General to provide detailed information on the project and its related costs in the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009;

4. *Reaffirms* the importance of a system-wide policy with regard to the safety and security of United Nations staff, and the unity of command in this regard;

5. *Emphasizes* the need for a comprehensive safety and security policy framework at the United Nations which provides the basis for the threat and risk assessment, cooperation with the host countries, cost-sharing arrangements and operations of the Department of Safety and Security, and requests the Secretary-General to present such a framework to the General Assembly at the first part of its resumed sixty-second session;

6. *Stresses* that safety is a vital aspect of the mandate of the Department of Safety and Security, and requests the Secretary-General to conduct a comprehensive review of the existing safety programmes in the Headquarters and the duty stations and to report to it thereon at the first part of its resumed sixty-second session;

7. *Reiterates* the principle that the United Nations Secretariat, organizations, funds and programmes share a common responsibility for the security and safety of their staff;

8. *Underlines* the principle that funding for safety and security, based on the cost-sharing arrangement, should be clear, predictable and secure;

9. *Recalls* paragraphs 50 and 52 of section XI of its resolution 59/276, in which it called on all entities participating in the cost-sharing arrangements to provide prompt and secure funding for such arrangements, and for those in arrears to ensure prompt payment of the outstanding sums;

[9] A/60/7/Add.9, Add.33 and Add.35 and A/61/642.

10. *Notes* the process of consultations being undertaken between the Department and the specialized agencies, funds and programmes, including on the strategic directions and operational requirements of security arrangements for the field to encourage ownership of the process and enhance their participation;

11. *Notes with concern* the situation outlined in paragraph 11 of the report of the Secretary-General[2] regarding the disagreement leading to the non-participation of the World Bank in field-related security costs, and emphasizes that this could hinder the coordination of the security operations in the field;

12. *Requests*, in this regard, the Secretary-General, in his capacity as the Chairman of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, to carry out consultations with the World Bank with the aim of resolving this issue, as a matter of urgency;

13. *Invites* the Secretary-General, in his capacity as the Chairman of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination and with the aim of achieving a workable cost-sharing arrangement:

(a) To ensure a common interpretation and implementation of all policies related to safety and security;

(b) To encourage the development of practical methods to ensure the effective implementation of the arrangements in place for the sharing of costs for safety and security across the United Nations system;

(c) To continue discussions with the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination to achieve greater transparency in the different sources of security-related costs;

(d) To submit a report on steps taken to implement subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c) above as well as on expenditures related to safety and security as compared to the total expenditures of specialized agencies, funds and programmes to the General Assembly at the first part of its resumed sixty-second session;

14. *Welcomes* the efforts of host countries in undertaking their responsibilities to ensure the safety and security of United Nations staff and premises;

15. *Emphasizes* that the primary responsibility for ensuring the safety and security of United Nations staff and premises rests with the host country, emphasizes also the role of the relevant host country agreements in defining this responsibility and, in this regard, reiterates its request to the Secretary-General contained in section XI, paragraph 27, of its resolution 59/276 to report on the updating and revision of host country agreements as well as on the different capacities of host countries to provide security to the United Nations;

16. *Notes* the efforts of the Department of Safety and Security in cooperating with the national authorities of respective host countries in undertaking security risk assessment and management, and urges the Department to ensure the cooperation with host countries and also that they are kept fully informed;

17. *Recognizes* the expanded training initiatives that have been implemented by the Department of Safety and Security, and encourages the Department to maintain training as a high priority and, in this context, to continue the collaboration

with the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, specialized agencies, funds and programmes, as well as the United Nations System Staff College at Turin;

18. *Requests* the Secretary-General to entrust the Office of Internal Oversight Services with a comprehensive management audit, inter alia focusing on the structure of the Department of Safety and Security, recruitment procedures and the implementation of section XI of General Assembly resolution 59/276, and the interaction, cooperation and coordination of the Department with other Secretariat entities including but not limited to the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, and to report thereon to the Assembly at the first part of its resumed sixty-second session;

19. *Reaffirms* paragraphs 17, 18 and 20 of section XI of its resolution 59/276;

20. *Takes note with appreciation* of the efforts of the Secretary-General to achieve as wide a geographic balance as possible in the Department of Safety and Security, without compromising the highest standards of efficiency, competence and integrity, and urges the Secretary-General to continue such efforts, taking into account the proposals requested of the Secretary-General to effectively increase the representation of developing countries in the Secretariat in section X, paragraph 17, of its resolution 61/244 of 22 December 2006;

21. *Recalls* paragraph 1 of section XI of its resolution 61/244, in which it reaffirmed the goal of 50/50 gender distribution in all categories of posts within the United Nations system, especially at the senior and policymaking levels, with full respect for the principle of equitable geographical distribution, in conformity with Article 101 of the Charter of the United Nations, and regrets that progress towards attaining this goal has been slow;

22. *Takes note* in this context of paragraph 42 of the report of the Secretary-General,[1] and urges him to continue his efforts to achieve greater gender parity in the Department of Safety and Security, and invites Member States to assist the Secretary-General in this regard;

23. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report on steps taken to implement paragraphs 20, 21 and 22 above to the General Assembly at the first part of its resumed sixty-second session;

24. *Emphasizes* the importance of gaining efficiency and effectiveness in the implementation of the approved projects through improved streamlining, setting benchmarks, meeting the timelines for different phases of the projects and administrative and managerial oversight and strengthening of accountability;

25. *Emphasizes also* the importance of taking full account of lessons learned and best practices at all duty stations with a view to facilitating the implementation of the first phase of the standardized access control system, and requests the Secretary-General to report to it thereon, including on any possible efficiency gains, at its sixty-second session;

26. *Takes note* of the observation of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions contained in paragraph 16 of its report,[10] and requests the Secretary-General to develop and implement effective measures to

[10] A/61/642.

guarantee the highest level of protection of personal data available in the standardized access control system;

27. *Decides* that data related to representatives of Member States and officials other than Secretariat officials and experts on mission[11] as recorded in the standardized access control system, shall be subject to the full implementation of the following provisions:

(a) The data shall be recorded for the sole purpose of establishing the presence or absence of persons on the premises in case of emergency preparedness and recovery operations;

(b) Only staff members of the Department of Safety and Security, formally certified by the Under-Secretary-General for Safety and Security, and duly informed of the provisions of this paragraph, shall have access to the above-mentioned data, which shall under no circumstances be made available to any other party either inside or outside the United Nations unless so required for the purposes of the emergency preparedness and recovery operations referred to in subparagraph (a) above;

(c) The data shall be automatically deleted from the standardized access control system after completion of the read-in/read-out cycle, which will be no later than 24 hours for access data and no later than 30 days for digital video storage data;

(d) Violation of any of the provisions stipulated in subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c) above shall constitute serious misconduct under staff regulation 10.2;

28. *Takes note* of the recommendation of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in paragraph 7 of its report,[10] and decides to revert to this issue in the context of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009, also taking into account section XI, paragraph 27, of its resolution 59/276;

29. *Decides* to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to $20,208,000 under the programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007, $1,500,000 under the budget for the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and $1,975,000 under the budget for the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, without prejudice to the implementation of projects previously approved for the biennium 2006-2007, to be reported in the context of the respective second performance reports, to implement the first phase of the standardized access control system;

30. *Stresses* the importance of fully implementing projects provided under section 32 of the programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007, and requests the Secretary-General, in the event that the implementation of the first phase referred to in paragraph 29 above will have an impact on previously approved projects, to report on such impact, for its consideration.

[11] See ST/SGB/2002/9.

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Liabilities and proposed funding for after-service health insurance benefits

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 58/249 A of 23 December 2003, 60/255 of 8 May 2006 and 60/283 of 7 July 2006,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on liabilities and proposed funding for after-service health insurance benefits[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General;

2. *Takes note also* of the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;

3. *Recalls* section II of its resolution 52/220 of 22 December 1997 and notes with concern that the preparation of the first report on the accrued liabilities for after-service health insurance benefits took more than seven years after its endorsement of the initial recommendation of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the matter;

4. *Notes* in this regard that estimated after-service health insurance liabilities, in particular on the accrual and actuarial basis, increased significantly during the intervening period;

5. *Notes* the growing costs of the after-service health insurance benefits programme;

6. *Notes* that the International Public Sector Accounting Standards require that the accrued after-service health insurance liabilities and future accrued

[1] A/61/730.
[2] A/61/791.

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expenses be recognized on the face of the financial statements and that this requirement is irrespective of funding such liabilities;

7. *Recalls also* its resolution 60/255, whereby it recognized the end-of-service accrued benefit liabilities reported by the Secretary-General in his report;

8. *Recognizes* that after-service health insurance benefit liabilities have been accrued from all sources of funding;

9. *Recognizes* the need to specifically identify sources of the accrued after-service health insurance benefit liabilities;

10. *Requests* the Secretary-General to validate the accrued liabilities by using current data and to apply the actuarial methodology prescribed by the International Public Sector Accounting Standards, and to submit a detailed report, with figures audited by the Board of Auditors, on the outcome of the validation and status of the liabilities, as well as additional information on financing options, to the General Assembly no later than the main part of its sixty-third session;

11. *Recognizes* the complexity of the issue and the significant amount of the liabilities, and requests the Secretary-General to present long-term strategies taking into account the various options of financing and to report to it thereon no later than the main part of the sixty-third session;

12. *Approves* changes to the after-service health insurance provisions for new staff members recruited on or after 1 July 2007 as follows:

(a) The alignment of after-service health insurance eligibility and subsidy requirements to ten years' minimum participation in the United Nations health insurance plans, eliminating the buy-in provision after five years of participation;

(b) The application of a theoretical pension of a minimum of twenty-five years of service as the basis of assessing retiree contributions as opposed to using the actual number of years of service when less than 25;

(c) The introduction of a minimum participation requirement for after-service health insurance eligibility of dependents of at least five years at the time of retirement of the United Nations employee, or two years if the spouse has coverage with an outside employer or a national Government, except where the dependent is newly acquired within this period and is enrolled within thirty days of the effective date of the dependent relationship;

13. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report on measures aimed at reducing the Organization's costs related to health-care plans;

14. *Decides* to approve the establishment of an independent segregated special account to record after-service health insurance accrued liabilities and account for related transactions;

15. *Requests* more comprehensive information and analysis based, inter alia, on the results of the actuarial valuation of the after-service health insurance plan as at 31 December 2007, on the following:

(a) The advantages and disadvantages for Member States of the "pay-as-you-go" option of after-service health insurance liabilities versus the option of funding those liabilities;

(b) The projections regarding the proportion of staff in peacekeeping operations who will be entitled to after-service health insurance benefits, taking into account, to the extent possible, the career patterns of staff in peacekeeping missions;

(c) Differentiated levels of charge as a percentage of salary costs to be applied against different funding sources, including the regular budget, peacekeeping and extrabudgetary funds, taking into account, to the extent possible, different career patterns of staff financed against those sources, that would be sufficient to finance after-service health insurance liabilities in a predictable manner without building up a reserve;

(d) The option of partial funding of the liability;

(e) The option of full funding over a longer period than envisaged in the report of the Secretary-General;

(f) The proportion of the current accrued liability which relates to the different categories of beneficiaries from all funding sources, namely, current retirees, active employees currently eligible to retire, and active employees not eligible to retire, as well as multiple options to address those after-service health insurance liabilities;

(g) An after-service health insurance reserve fund and its investment strategies;

16. *Stresses* the importance of addressing this matter further and decides, pending the validation of the accrued after-service health insurance liabilities and auditing by the Board of Auditors, to revert to it, as a matter of priority, at its sixty-third session.

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Administration of justice at the United Nations

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 57/307 of 15 April 2003, 59/266 of 23 December 2004 and 59/283 of 13 April 2005,

Reiterating that a transparent, impartial, independent and effective system of administration of justice is a necessary condition for ensuring fair and just treatment of United Nations staff and is important for the success of human resources reform in the Organization,

Affirming the importance of the United Nations as an exemplary employer,

Stressing the importance of measures to eliminate any conflicts of interest in the administration of justice system,

Recognizing that the current United Nations system of administration of justice is slow, cumbersome, ineffective and lacking in professionalism, and that the current system of administrative review is flawed,

Noting with concern that an overwhelming majority of individuals serving in the system of administration of justice lack legal training or qualifications,

Noting that legal assistance to the management of the Organization is provided by a cadre of professional lawyers,

Emphasizing the importance for the United Nations to have an efficient and effective system of administration of justice so as to ensure that individuals and the Organization are held accountable for their actions in accordance with relevant resolutions and regulations,

Expressing its appreciation for the consensual outcome of the seventh special session of the Staff-Management Coordination Committee,

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Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the administration of justice in the Secretariat,[1] the report of the Redesign Panel on the United Nations system of administration of justice,[2] the note by the Secretary-General thereon[3] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on the Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[4] the reports of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Ombudsman,[5] the reports of the Secretary-General on the outcome of the work of the Joint Appeals Board and statistics on the disposition of cases and work of the Panel of Counsel,[6] the report of the Secretary-General on the administration of justice in the Secretariat[7] and the related report of the Advisory Committee,[8] the report of the Secretary-General on the practice of the Secretary-General in disciplinary matters and in cases of criminal behaviour, 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006,[9] and the letter dated 14 October 2005 from the President of the General Assembly to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee,[10]

1. *Welcomes* the report of the Redesign Panel on the United Nations system of administration of justice[2] and the note by the Secretary-General thereon;[3]

2. *Takes note* of the reports of the Secretary-General on the administration of justice in the Secretariat,[1] the activities of the Ombudsman,[5] the outcome of the work of the Joint Appeals Board and statistics on the disposition of cases and work of the Panel of Counsel,[6] the administration of justice in the Secretariat[7] and the practice of the Secretary-General in disciplinary matters and in cases of criminal behaviour, 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006,[9] and the reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;[11]

3. *Recalls* its decision 61/511 B of 28 March 2007;

New system of administration of justice

4. *Decides* to establish a new, independent, transparent, professionalized, adequately resourced and decentralized system of administration of justice consistent with the relevant rules of international law and the principles of the rule of law and due process to ensure respect for the rights and obligations of staff members and accountability of managers and staff members alike;

5. *Recognizes* that the introduction of the new system of administration of justice should, inter alia, have a positive impact on staff-management relations and improve the performance of both staff and managers;

6. *Stresses* the importance of increased transparency in decision-making and increased accountability of managers for the system;

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[1] A/61/342.
[2] A/61/205.
[3] A/61/758.
[4] A/61/815.
[5] A/61/524 and A/60/376.
[6] A/61/71 and A/60/72 and Corr.1.
[7] A/59/883.
[8] A/60/7/Add.1.
[9] A/60/315.
[10] A/C.5/60/10.
[11] A/60/7/Add.1 and A/61/815.

7. *Also stresses* the importance of the proper implementation of a sound performance appraisal system as a potential means of avoiding conflict and the need to provide training to improve the conflict-resolution skills of managers;

8. *Reaffirms* staff rule 112.3, which relates to the financial liability of managers;

9. *Stresses* the need for comprehensive training for all participants in the system of administration of justice as well as the dissemination of information among staff members about the system of administration of justice, remedies available and the rights and obligations of staff members and managers;

10. *Endorses* the recommendation of the Redesign Panel to abolish the Panels on Discrimination and Other Grievances, whose functions relating to the informal system will be transferred to the Office of the Ombudsman and whose other functions will be transferred to the formal system of administration of justice;

Informal system

11. *Recognizes* that the informal resolution of conflict is a crucial element of the system of administration of justice, and emphasizes that all possible use should be made of the informal system in order to avoid unnecessary litigation;

12. *Decides* to create a single integrated and decentralized Office of the Ombudsman for the United Nations Secretariat, funds and programmes;

13. *Requests* the Secretary-General to identify three posts for the Office of the Ombudsman for Geneva, Vienna and Nairobi;

14. *Emphasizes* the need for the Ombudsman to encourage staff to seek resolution through the informal system;

15. *Affirms* mediation as an important component of an effective and efficient informal system of administration of justice that should be available to any party to the conflict at any time before a matter proceeds to final judgement;

16. *Decides* to formally establish a Mediation Division located at Headquarters within the Office of the United Nations Ombudsman to provide formal mediation services for the United Nations Secretariat, funds and programmes;

17. *Stresses* that once parties have reached an agreement through mediation they are precluded from litigating claims covered by the agreement and that parties should be able to bring an action in the formal system to enforce the implementation of that agreement;

18. *Emphasizes* the role of the Ombudsman to report on broad systemic issues that it identifies, as well as those that are brought to its attention;

Formal system

19. *Agrees* that the formal system of administration of justice should comprise two tiers, consisting of a first instance, the United Nations Dispute Tribunal, and an appellate instance, the United Nations Appeals Tribunal, rendering binding decisions and ordering appropriate remedies;

20. *Decides* that a decentralized United Nations Dispute Tribunal shall replace existing advisory bodies within the current system of administration of

justice, including the Joint Appeals Boards, Joint Disciplinary Committees and other bodies as appropriate;

21. *Emphasizes* the importance of efficiency in the work practices of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal and the United Nations Appeals Tribunal;

22. *Stresses* that the effectiveness of the formal system will depend largely on the legal and judicial expertise, experience, independence and other qualifications of the judges;

23. *Agrees* that legal assistance for staff should continue to be provided, and supports the strengthening of a professional office of staff legal assistance;

24. *Reiterates* the invitation to staff representatives to further explore the possibility of establishing a staff-funded scheme in the Organization that would provide legal advice and support to the staff; staff representatives may consult with the Secretary-General as they deem appropriate;

Management evaluation

25. *Acknowledges* the need to have in place a process for management evaluation that is efficient, effective and impartial;

26. *Reaffirms* the importance of the general principle of exhausting administrative remedies before formal proceedings are instituted;

27. *Endorses* the measures to ensure managerial accountability contained in paragraph 31 of the note by the Secretary-General;[3]

Office of the Administration of Justice

28. *Agrees* to establish the Office of the Administration of Justice, headed by a senior management-level official, which will have overall responsibility for the coordination of the United Nations system of administration of justice;

Transitional measures

29. *Requests* the Secretary-General to ensure that the Joint Appeals Boards, the Joint Disciplinary Committees, the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and other bodies, as appropriate, continue to function until the new system is operational with a view to clearing all cases that are before them;

30. *Urges* the Secretary-General to continue his efforts to ensure the proper functioning of the current system of administration of justice prior to implementation of the new system, including through the implementation of General Assembly resolution 59/283;

31. *Also urges* the Secretary-General to continue the efforts needed to comply with the time limits of the appeals process and to clear the existing backlog of cases at all stages;

Further reports

32. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report on the following issues regarding the establishment of the new system of administration of justice:

(a) An in-depth analysis regarding the scope of persons who might be covered by the new system of administration of justice;

(b) Proposals on the nomination and selection process for the Ombudsmen and judges, taking into account the recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set out in paragraphs 30 and 48 of its report;[4]

(c) Revised terms of reference for the Ombudsman, as appropriate, taking into account the proposed changes and suggested locations;

(d) Detailed proposals for strengthening of an office of staff legal assistance, including information on practices in the governmental and intergovernmental sectors;

(e) Detailed and objective criteria for determining which peacekeeping operations and special political missions should have elements of the administration of justice system within their post structures;

(f) The outcome of the Staff-Management Coordination Committee working group on disciplinary proceedings, including on the recommendations of the Redesign Panel on peacekeeping operations;

(g) Arrangements for the members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal whose terms are affected by the implementation of the new system;

(h) Proposals for registries for the United Nations Dispute Tribunal and its interim rules;

(i) A proposal for management evaluation, taking into account the recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set out in paragraphs 32 to 40 of the report;[4]

(j) Detailed information on the relationship and cost-sharing arrangements with the funds and programmes and underlying cost parameters, taking into consideration the comments of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;

(k) A comparison of the cost of the current Joint Appeals Board/Joint Disciplinary Committee/United Nations Administrative Tribunal system and the proposed United Nations Dispute Tribunal/United Nations Appeals Tribunal system;

(l) Resource requirements for the new system of administration of justice;

33. *Requests* the Secretary-General to consolidate the above-mentioned reports to the extent possible and to submit them to the General Assembly as a matter of priority no later than the early part of the main part of its sixty-second session;

34. *Also requests* the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly a report on resources required for the implementation of the present resolution as a matter of priority at the second part of its resumed sixty-first session;

Other issues

35. *Invites* the Sixth Committee to consider the legal aspects of the reports to be submitted by the Secretary-General without prejudice to the role of the Fifth

Committee as the Main Committee entrusted with responsibilities for administrative and budgetary matters;

36. *Decides* to continue consideration of this item during its sixty-second session as a matter of priority with the objective of implementing the new system of administration of justice no later than January 2009.

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Questions deferred for future consideration

The General Assembly decides to defer until the second part of its resumed sixty-first session consideration of the following agenda items and related documents:

Item 127
Report on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006[1]

Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of the programme and administrative management of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia[2]

Note by the Secretary-General on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of the programme and administrative management of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia[3]

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[1] A/61/264 (Part I) and Add.1 and 2.
[2] A/61/61.
[3] A/61/61/Add.1.

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Item 132
Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations

Report of the Secretary-General on investing in information and communications technology[4]

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.[5]

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[4] A/61/765.
[5] A/61/804.

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Draft decision submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations

Financing of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women

The Fifth Committee, having considered the note verbale from the Office of the President of the General Assembly,[1] the statement of the Secretariat[2] and the views of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

(a) *Recalls* its decision[3] on the programme budget implications of a draft resolution on the future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women;[4]

(b) *Reaffirms* section VI of its resolution 45/248 B of 21 December 1990 as well as rules 153 and 157 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly;

(c) *Reaffirms also* articles VI and VII of the statute of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women;

(d) *Reaffirms further* that regular budget resources shall not be used to finance the activities of the Institute, in accordance with articles VI and VII of its statute;

(e) *Urges* the Institute to redouble its efforts to mobilize voluntary funding to support its activities in accordance with its statute;

(f) *Appeals* to Member States, as a matter of urgency, to contribute voluntary funds in support of the Institute and to honour existing pledges;

(g) *Decides*, notwithstanding subparagraphs (c) and (d) above and on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments in an amount of up to US$ 190,000 under section 9, Economic and social affairs, of the

[1] A/C.5/61/20.
[2] See A/C.5/61/SR.45.
[3] See A/60/619.
[4] A/C.3/60/L.15/Rev.1; subsequently adopted by the General Assembly as resolution 60/229.

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programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007, subject to full reimbursement pending receipt of voluntary contributions;

(h) *Decides also* to request the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at the second part of its resumed sixty-first session on the financial situation of the Institute for 2007.

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Status of preparedness of documentation for the Fifth Committee during the second part of the resumed sixty-first session of the General Assembly

Note by the Secretariat

1. The attention of members of the Fifth Committee is drawn to the letter by the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/61/1) indicating the items allocated to the Committee for consideration during the sixty-first session of the Assembly.

2. The status of preparedness of documentation, as at 27 April 2007, to be considered by the Committee during the second part of the resumed sixty-first session is indicated in the annex to the present document. For documents that have note been issued to date, estimates of the dates of their submission and issuance have been indicated.

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Annex

List of items and documents for consideration by the Fifth Committee during the second part of the resumed sixty-first session of the General Assembly

Agenda item	*Title or description*	*Estimated date of submission*	*Actual date of submission*	*Estimated date of issuance*	*Status of issuance*	*Submitting office*
Item 115						
A/61/5 (Vol. II)	Report of the Board of Auditors and financial report and audited financial statements for the 12-month period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 on the United Nations peacekeeping operations (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	BOA
A/61/811	Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors concerning United Nations peacekeeping operations for the financial period ended 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 48/216 B, para. 7) (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	DM
A/61/866	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*			4 May		ACABQ
Item 117	**Programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007**					
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the financial situation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women for 2007 (General Assembly decision 61/555)	30 Apr.				PPBD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the administration of justice at the United Nations (General Assembly resolution 61/261) (see also agenda item 128)	2 May				DM/PPBD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ

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A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the review of logical frameworks for all special political missions (General Assembly resolution 61/252, sect. VII, para. 7)	30 Apr.				PPBD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the contingent liability reserve for the United Nations Postal Administration (General Assembly resolution 61/252, sect. III, para. 2)	1 May				PPBD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/530/ Add.2	Report of the Secretary-General on the revised estimates resulting from decision S-4/101 adopted by the Human Rights Council at its fourth special session in 2006				Issued	DM/PPBD
A/61/530/ Add.3	Report of the Secretary-General on the revised estimates resulting from resolution 3/104 adopted by the Human Rights Council at its third session	7 May				PPBD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/603	Report of the Secretary-General on the Procurement Task Force				Issued	PPBD
	Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions					ACABQ
	Cost accounting					
A/61/826	Report of the Secretary-General on the feasibility of the application of cost-accounting principles in the United Nations Secretariat (General Assembly resolution 59/275)				Issued	OPPBA
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ

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	Standards of accommodation for air travel					
A/61/188 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on standards of accommodation for air travel (General Assembly decision 57/589)				Issued	DM/ OUSG PPBD
A/61/661	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/60/78	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the harmonization of the conditions of travel throughout the United Nations system				Issued	JIU
A/60/78/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the harmonization of the conditions of travel throughout the United Nations system				Issued	CEB
A/61/801	Report of the Secretary-General on the review of the standards of travel and entitlements for staff members, members of organs and subsidiary organs of the United Nations and entities of the United Nations system (General Assembly resolution 60/255, sect. IV, para. 3)				Issued	DM/ PPBD/ CEB
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Strengthening of the capacity of the Organization in peacekeeping operations					
A/61/858	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 132)		13 Apr.	2 May		DPKO/ PFD

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A/61/858/ Add.1	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations: budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 132)		13 Apr.	4 May		DPKO/ PFD
A/61/858/ Add.2	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations: revised estimates to the programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007 under sections 5, peacekeeping operations; 28 D Office of Central Support Services and 35, Staff assessment; and revised estimates to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 5, peacekeeping operations; 28 D Office of Central Support Services and 35; and Staff Assessment (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 132)		13 Apr.	4 May		DPKO/ PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
Item 119	**Improving the financial situation of the United Nations**					
A/61/	Periodic reports of the Secretary-General on improving the financial situation of the United Nations					DM
Item 123	**Human resources management**					
A/61/823	Report of the Secretary-General on measures to address the imbalance in the geographical distribution of the staff in the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (General Assembly resolution 61/244, sect. XVII)				Issued	HRM
A/61/822	Report of the Secretary-General on human resources management: recruitment and staffing (General Assembly resolution 61/244, sect. II, paras. 4, 10 and 13)				Issued	HRM

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A/61/732	Report of the Secretary-General on staffing field missions, including the use of 300- and 100-series appointments (General Assembly resolutions 60/266, sect. XIV, and 61/244, sect. VI) (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	HRM
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the entitlements of internationally recruited staff serving in non-family duty stations (General Assembly resolutions 61/239 and 61/244, sect. VII, para. 5)					HRM
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the regulations governing the status, basic rights and duties of officials other than Secretariat officials and experts on mission (General Assembly resolutions 60/238 and 61/244 sect. XII, para. 1)					HRM
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/857	Report of the Secretary-General on streamlining United Nations contractual arrangements (General Assembly resolution 61/244, sect. VI, paras. 4 and 5)				Issued	HRM
A/61/861	Report of the Secretary-General on the harmonization of conditions of service (General Assembly resolution 61/244, sect. VII)	20 Apr.	20 Apr.	4 May		HRM
A/61/30/ Add.1	Report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2006 (General Assembly resolutions 61/239, sect. I, part D, and 61/244, sect. VI) (see also agenda item 125)				Issued	ICSC
A/61/850	Report of the Secretary-General on civilian career peacekeepers (General Assembly resolution 61/244, sect. VIII) (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	HRM
A/61/255	Report of the Secretary-General on investing in people (General Assembly resolutions 60/1 and 61/244, sect. VII, para. 4)				Issued	HRM

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A/61/255/ Add.1 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on reforming the Field Service category: investing in meeting the human resources requirements of United Nations peace operations in the twenty-first century (General Assembly resolutions 60/1 and 61/244, sect. VII, para. 4)				Issued	HRM
Item 125	**United Nations common system**					
A/61/30/ Add.1	Report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2006 (General Assembly resolutions 61/239, sect. I, part D, and 61/244, sect. VI) (see also agenda item 123)				Issued	ICSC
Item 127	**Report on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services**					
A/61/264 (Part I) and Add.1 and 2	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B, 54/244, 59/270, para. 3, 59/271, para. 11, 59/272, 60/257, para. 14, and 60/282, para. 13)				Issued	OIOS
A/61/264 (Part II)	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, part two: peacekeeping operations (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	OIOS
A/61/264 (Part II)/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments on the report of the Office for Internal Oversight Services, part two: peacekeeping operations (see also agenda item 132)					DM
A/61/61	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of the programme and administrative management of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia				Issued	OIOS
A/61/61/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the programme management and administrative practices of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia				Issued	DM

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Item 128	**Administration of justice at the United Nations**					
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the administration of justice at the United Nations (General Assembly resolution 61/261) (see also agenda item 117)	2 May				DM/ PPBD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
Item 129	**Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994**					
A/61/824	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (General Assembly resolutions 61/241 and 61/242) (see also agenda item 130)				Issued	PPBD
Item 130	**Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991**					
A/61/824	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (General Assembly resolutions 61/241 and 61/242) (see also agenda item 129)				Issued	PPBD

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A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
Item 132	**Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations**					
A/61/5 (Vol. II)	Report of the Board of Auditors and financial report and audited financial statements for the 12-month period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 on the United Nations peacekeeping operations (see also agenda item 115)				Issued	BOA
A/61/811	Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors concerning United Nations peacekeeping operations for the financial period ended 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 48/216 B, para. 7) (see also agenda item 115)				Issued	DM
A/61/866	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*			4 May		ACABQ
A/61/264 (Part II)	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, part two: peacekeeping operations (see also agenda item 127)				Issued	OIOS
A/61/264 (Part II)/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, part two: peacekeeping operations (see also agenda item 127)					DM
	Strengthening of the capacity of the Organization in peacekeeping operations					
A/61/858	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 117)		13 Apr.	2 May		DPKO/ PFD

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A/61/858/ Add.1	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations: budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 117)		13 Apr.	4 May		DPKO/ PFD
A/61/858/ Add.2	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations: revised estimates to the programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007 under sections 5, peacekeeping operations; 28 D Office of Central Support Services and 35, Staff Assessment; and revised estimates to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 5, peacekeeping operations; 28 D Office of Central Support Services and 35; and Staff Assessment (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 117)		13 Apr.	4 May		DPKO/ PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Overview					
A/61/786	Report of the Secretary-General on the overview of the financing of United Nations peacekeeping operations: budget performance for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and budget for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolutions 59/296, sect. I, para. 3, and 60/266, sects. I, X, XI, XII and XIII)				Issued	PFD
A/60/696	Report of the Secretary-General on the overview of the financing of United Nations peacekeeping operations: budget performance for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 and budget for the period from 1 July 2006 to 30 June 2007 (General Assembly resolution 59/296, sect. I, para. 3)				Issued	PFD

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A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi					
A/61/679	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and implementation of the strategic deployment stocks, including the award of contracts for procurement (General Assembly resolution 60/267)				Issued	PFD
A/61/752	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/267)				Issued	PFD
A/61/795	Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the strategic deployment stocks, including the functioning of the existing mechanisms for rapid deployment (General Assembly resolution 60/266, sect. XVI)				Issued	DPKO
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Support account for peacekeeping operations					
A/61/733 and Add.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/268)				Issued	PFD
A/61/858/ Add.1	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to manage and sustain peace operations: budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 61/256) (see also agenda item 117)		13 Apr.	4 May		DPKO/ PFD

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A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Closed peacekeeping missions					
A/60/437	Report of the Secretary-General on the updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2005 (General Assembly decisions 59/563 and 60/551)				Issued	PFD
A/60/551	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/61/867	Report of the Secretary-General on the updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2006 (General Assembly decisions 59/563 and 60/551)				Issued	PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Consolidation of peacekeeping accounts					
A/60/846/ Add.3	Report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: detailed report on financial management practices (General Assembly resolution 60/283, sect. VII, para. 1 (a))				Issued	OPPBA
A/60/870	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/61/865	Report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: detailed report (consolidation of peacekeeping accounts) (General Assembly resolution 60/283, sect. VII, para. 1 (a))				Issued	PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ

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	Rates of reimbursement to Governments of troop-contributing States					
A/60/725 and Add.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the review of the methodology for rates of reimbursement to troop-contributing countries (General Assembly resolutions 55/274, para. 8, and 59/298, paras. 10 and 12)				Issued	DPKO
A/C.5/60/26	Letter dated 11 January 2006 from the Chairman of the 2004 Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee transmitting the contingent-owned equipment manual				Issued	DPKO
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Joint Inspection Unit evaluation of the implementation of results-based budgeting in peacekeeping operations					
A/60/709	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on an evaluation of results-based budgeting in peacekeeping operations (General Assembly resolution 57/290 B, para. 7)				Issued	JIU
A/60/709/Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on an evaluation of results-based budgeting in peacekeeping operations				Issued	DM
	Purchase and utilization of vehicles, fuel management, air assets and spare parts					
A/60/842	Report of the Secretary-General on the procedures for the purchase and utilization of vehicles and other equipment by United Nations field missions (General Assembly resolution 59/270, para. 8)				Issued	DPKO
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ

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	300- and 100-series appointments					
A/61/732	Report of the Secretary-General on staffing field missions, including the use of 300- and 100-series appointments (General Assembly resolutions 60/266, sect. XIV, and 61/244, sect. VI) (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	HRM
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Civilian career peacekeepers					
A/61/850	Report of the Secretary-General on civilian career peacekeepers (General Assembly resolution 61/244, sect. VIII) (see also agenda item 123)				Issued	HRM
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Sexual exploitation and sexual abuse					
A/60/862	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive report prepared pursuant to General Assembly resolution 59/296 on sexual exploitation and sexual abuse, including policy development, implementation and full justification of proposed capacity on personnel conduct issues (General Assembly resolution 59/296, sect. XIV, para. 4)				Issued	DPKO
A/60/861	Report of the Secretary-General on special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse (General Assembly resolution 57/306) (see also agenda item 123)				Issued	HRM
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ

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A/61/841	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its investigation into allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the Ituri region (Bunia) in the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (see also agenda item 136)				Issued	OIOS
	Disarmament, demobilization and reintegration standards					
A/60/705	Report of the Secretary-General on disarmament, demobilization and reintegration (General Assembly resolution 59/296, sect. VI, para. 8)				Issued	DPKO
A/60/929	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on disarmament, demobilization and reintegration*				Issued	ACABQ
A/60/843	Report of the Secretary-General on the improvement of internal controls in management, accounting and reporting of assets of all United Nations field missions (General Assembly resolution 59/270, para. 7)				Issued	DPKO
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services					
A/61/743	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the management structures of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations (General Assembly resolution 59/296, sect. IV, para. 5)				Issued	OIOS
A/60/717	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on a comprehensive management audit of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations (General Assembly resolution 59/296, sect. III, para. 6, and sect. IV, para. 5)				Issued	OIOS

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A/60/682	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of standard costs applied to Headquarters overhead (General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244)				Issued	OIOS
A/60/713	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the global review of discipline in field missions led by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations (General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244)				Issued	OIOS
A/60/720 and Corr.1 and Add.1	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the investigation conducted by the Investigations Task Force into fraud and corruption allegations at Pristina Airport (General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244)				Issued	DM/OIOS
A/61/760 and Corr.1	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the horizontal audit of fuel management in peacekeeping missions (General Assembly resolution 60/259)				Issued	OIOS
A/61/841	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its investigation into allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the Ituri region (Bunia) in the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (see also agenda item 136)				Issued	OIOS
	Strategic Military Cell					
A/61/883	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive review of the Strategic Military Cell (General Assembly resolution 61/250 B, para. 14) (see also agenda item 144 (b))		28 Apr.	11 May		DPKO
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Technology					
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on a disaster recovery and business continuity centre for information technology in peacekeeping missions (General Assembly resolution 60/266, sect. XV)					DPKO

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A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Notes by the Secretary-General					
A/C.5/61/18	Note by the Secretary-General on the approved resources for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2006 to 30 June 2007				Issued	PFD
A/C.5/61/	Note by the Secretary-General on the six-month update of information on the proposed budgetary requirements of each peacekeeping operation for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 49/233 A)					PFD
A/C.5/61/	Note by the Secretary-General on the financing of the support account for peacekeeping operations and the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy					PFD
A/C.5/61/	Note by the Secretary-General on amounts to be apportioned in respect of each peacekeeping operation, including the prorated share of the support account for peacekeeping operations and the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy, for the period from 1 July 2006 to 30 June 2007					PFD
Item 133	**Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi**					
A/61/716 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Operation in Burundi for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/269)				Issued	PFD
A/61/852/ Add.6	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ

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Item 134	**Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire**					
A/61/673	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of UNOCI for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/17 B)				Issued	PFD
A/61/773	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/17 B)				Issued	PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
Item 135	**Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus**					
A/61/724	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/270)				Issued	PFD
A/61/774	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/270)				Issued	PFD
A/61/852/ Add.4	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
Item 136	**Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo**					
A/61/672	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/121 B)				Issued	PFD

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A/61/767 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/121 B)				Issued	PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/841	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its investigation into allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the Ituri region (Bunia) in the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (see also agenda item 132)				Issued	OIOS
Item 137	**Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor**					
Item 138	**Financing of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor**					
A/61/670	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/271)				Issued	PFD
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Item 139	**Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea**					
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Item 140	**Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia**					
A/61/700	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/273)				Issued	PFD
A/61/764 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/273)				Issued	PFD
A/61/837/ Add.10	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
Item 141	**Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti**					
A/61/741	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/18 B)				Issued	PFD
A/61/869	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/18 B)	17 Apr.	18 Apr.	9 May		PFD
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Item 142	**Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo**					
A/61/675	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/275)				Issued	PFD
A/61/776	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/275)				Issued	PFD
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Item 143	**Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia**					
A/61/715	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/276)				Issued	PFD
A/61/783	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/276)				Issued	PFD
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Item 144	**Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East**					
	(a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force					
A/61/662	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/277)				Issued	PFD
A/61/671 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/277)				Issued	PFD
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	(b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon					
A/61/829	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/278)				Issued	PFD
A/61/870	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/278)	18 Apr.	18 Apr.	4 May		PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/883	Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive review of the Strategic Military Cell (General Assembly resolution 61/250 B, para. 14) (see also agenda item 132)		26 Apr.	11 May		DPKO
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Item 145	**Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone**					
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A/61/819	Report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (General Assembly resolution 60/279)				Issued	PFD
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Item 146	**Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan**					
A/61/689	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/122 B)				Issued	PFD
A/61/745	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/122 B)				Issued	PFD
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Item 147	**Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara**					
A/61/683	Report of the Secretary-General on the performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 (General Assembly resolution 60/280)				Issued	PFD
A/61/744	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 60/280)				Issued	PFD
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Item 151	**Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste**					
A/61/871	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 (General Assembly resolution 61/249)	13 Apr.	19 Apr.	10 May		PFD
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
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	Policy for access to United Nations documentation					
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on the policy for access to United Nations documentation by Member States and the public (General Assembly resolution 60/283, sect. V, para. 6)					OCSS
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Information and communication technology					
A/61/765	Report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations: for a stronger Organization worldwide: interim report: investing in information and communications technology (General Assembly resolution 60/283, sect. II, paras. 3 and 5, and 61/234, para. 9)				Issued	OCSS
A/61/804	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/61/	Comprehensive report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations: for a stronger Organization worldwide: investing in information and communications technology: one United Nations, one information and communications technology (General Assembly resolution 60/283, sect. II, paras. 3 and 5, and 61/234, para. 9)					OCSS
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/60/665	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Policies of the United Nations system organizations towards the use of open source software in the secretariats"				Issued	JIU

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A/60/665/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Policies of the United Nations system organizations towards the use of open source software in the secretariats"				Issued	CEB
	Governance and oversight					
A/61/812	Report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations: for a stronger Organization worldwide: detailed report: updated terms of reference for the Independent Audit Advisory Committee (General Assembly resolution 61/245, para. 3)				Issued	OPPBA
A/61/825	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/60/901	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on proposals for strengthening the Office of Internal Oversight Services (General Assembly resolutions 60/260, para. 3, and 60/259, para. 4)				Issued	OIOS
A/61/610	Report of the Secretary-General on strengthening of the Office of Internal Oversight Services: revised estimates to the programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007 under sections 28 A, Office of the Under-Secretary-General for Management; 29, Internal oversight; and 35, Staff assessment				Issued	PPBD
A/61/810	Report of the Secretary-General on the strengthening of the Office of Internal Oversight Services: funding arrangements (General Assembly resolution 61/245, para. 3)				Issued	OPPBA
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	Procurement reform					
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on procurement activities (General Assembly resolution 61/246, para. 19)					DM/ DPKO
A/61/	Report of the Secretary-General on procurement reform: proposed ways to improve procurement opportunities for vendors from developing countries and countries with economies in transition and progress on mitigating risk of conflict of interest in United Nations procurement (General Assembly resolution 61/246, paras. 6, 9 and 20)					DM/CSS
A/61/	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
A/61/846	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the application of the best value for money principle in United Nations procurement (General Assembly resolution 60/259)				Issued	OIOS
A/61/846/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the application of the best value for money principle in United Nations procurement					DM